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Requisites For Safe Driving

The summer just passed has produced the usual crop of automobile accidents to drivers and passengers in the three prairie provinces. The daily newspapers have duly recorded numerous accidents together with the names of killed and injured and, when the information was available, the causes of these frequent disasters.

It is yet too early to record figures detailing the number of accidents and the toll of dead and injured. There will be available later, but indications are that there will be little, if any, reduction below the 1935 record, despite the safety first campaigns which have been waged by governmental authorities, automobile clubs and commercial organizations interested in the subject, through the press, over the air and through motion picture presentation.

It does not necessarily follow that such campaigns are a failure, but it seems to indicate that public memory is short lived or that the capacity of automobile drivers to avoid accident, no matter how well-intentioned or how careful they may be, is below par. The latter is probably a close approach to correct diagnosis of the ailment.

Statisticians and experts working on figures and available data on the causes of automobile accidents in the United States last year came to the conclusion that the number of accidents arising from defective equipment or faulty mechanism is comparatively insignificant, from which it follows that the human element, the capacity and capability of the driver, is in the majority of cases, the factor mainly responsible for disasters on the highways.

In other words, a large percentage of automobile accidents, can be reasonably attributed to lack of training or lack of experience on the part of the driver and perhaps in many cases, a combination of the two. This statement does not take into account accidents which can be charged up against recklessness, alcoholism or criminal negligence.

Undoubtedly lack of training and lack of experience are the causes of a number of crashes and the opinion is gaining ground that a substantial percentage of accidents is caused by drivers who are ordinarily careful but who have not had sufficient experience to sense danger in time to avoid it or, when sensing a pending risk, are not skilful enough to resort to the proper course to follow in time to prevent disaster.

In view of these conclusions there is much to be said for the adoption of courses of training for those who intend to operate powerful and speedy motive vehicles over the highways. This might be followed by examination of applicants for operators' licenses for the first time, though it would not be feasible to insist on making such tests the sine qua non for the right to drive for those who have previously been granted licenses. Courses of such a nature, if properly carried out by competent persons would at least partially, if not completely, take care of lack of training.

As for accidents caused by lack of experience, these can only be overcome by experience, supplemented by instruction. That drivers can and do develop a form of road sense which warns them of impending danger is the testimony of Oliver Stewart, writing in a recent issue of The Observer of London, where the mounting accident toll is causing grave concern.

The writer explains that in course of time a driver learns to interpret small signs which to a novice would pass unheeded. "A driver on a main road about to pass the entrance to a side road, suddenly slows down. No other vehicle is visible; yet as he reaches the side turning, a motor bicycle comes out of it and turns into the main road. If the driver is questioned as to the reason he slowed down before any other vehicle was visible, he will probably say: 'It's intuition.'"

To Mr. Stewart that is not altogether a satisfactory explanation. He pointed out that in all probability the driver unconsciously registered some small sign that something was coming down the side road, a pedestrian turning his head in that direction or a flock of sparrows taking to flight from the ground or some other indicator.

"The swift interpretation of such things," says Mr. Stewart, "is road sense and it is acquired with practice; but it is much too rarely taught. At first the sign will be seen, but not interpreted; and, in the absence of specific instruction, it only with long practice that the interpretation can be expected to come without delay."

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Houses Strange Collection

Many Interesting Curios To Be Seen

In Private Museum
Charles Q. Eldredge, veteran world traveller, who has celebrated his 81st birthday, is the sole owner and curator of the Eldredge free museum at Old Mystic, Connecticut, which boasts of more than 7,000 items collected in the last 81 years.

Early in life Eldredge developed a passion for collecting things, and in 1917 he erected a separate building for his trophies and opened his free museum. Since that time, more than 60,000 persons have viewed the collection, while Eldredge himself has personally conducted 25,012 persons through the building.

The collector is as fond of entertaining the sight of collecting curios. He displayed his love of entertaining friends in 1891 when he returned to Old Mystic after engaging in the building business for 20 years, and built a large recreational centre which he called Riverside. Hundreds of guests from Connecticut and neighboring states have used his bowling alleys, shooting galleries and other amusements.

The museum houses an strange a collection as has ever been assembled. In front of it rests the bleached skeleton of a whale, 80 feet long, the gift of Capt. John C. Spicer of Groton, Conn., who caught it in Hudson Bay in 1879.

An enormous penguin greets the visitor just inside the door. It came from Cape Horn and the card around its neck is typical of the labels Mr. Eldredge has placed on the exhibits. The card reads: "I am sure that you folks, like me, are close readers of the Bible, so you will remember that, somewhere it tells about those who have ears and hear not and eyes and see not. Well, here is a bird which has wings and flies not."

Eldredge takes more pride in his souvenirs than in his natural history collection. He has what he believes is the first cannon ball fired against Fort Sumter, and he says that Edmund Ruffin, the fellow who fired that shot, also fired the last shot of the civil war. When he heard that Lee had surrendered he shot himself through the head.

Some of his other prize items are a petrified crocodile, which he says, dates from 437 A.D. and was found during the digging of the Panama canal; a ship model built in a bottle and which won the world prize for that sort of thing in 1934; a petrified oyster weighing eight and one-half pounds which was found in South Africa in 1865; a piece of wood from the Confederate ramboat, Merrimack, some wooden hinges used on a barn door for more than 200 years; an almost complete set of all commemorative coins issued by states or the federal government, and several thousand rare postage stamps.

For Brighter Silver

Potato Water Is Said To Give It Extra Sparkle

Few people realize that if silver is polished while it is hot the work is halved and the resulting brightness doubled! It is worth while to plan your washing up with this end in view. Leave the silver forks, spoons, teapot and cream jug to the last, pour a little fresh hot water into the basin and wash up the silver, drying it before it has a chance to cool down. Another queer and little known tip for silver is this: To give your extra sparkle for a special dinner party, soak it for a moment in the water that the potatoes were boiled in. Dry it while still hot and the result will be amazing.

SELECTED RECIPES

DATE MUFFINS

- 1/2 cup shortening
 - 1 egg
 - 2 cups flour
 - 3 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 3/4 cup milk
 - 1 cup dates, pitted and chopped.
- Cream shortening, add beaten egg, flour in which baking powder and salt have been sifted, and milk. Add dates. Bake about 25 minutes in greased gem pans in moderate oven at 400 degrees F.

For sweet muffins sift 1/2 cup sugar with dry ingredients.

Teacher—"Johnnie, you must bring a written excuse for being absent yesterday, from the head of your family."

Johnnie—"She's away on a fortnight's holiday, ma'am; shall I bring one from me father?"

Pupils in Scotland have to get through about three times as many books, in the school year, as do London school children.

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Women in Banking

Few, If Any, Hold Positions of Responsibility in Canada

Very few, if any, Canadian women, hold positions of responsibility with the banks. It is a field in which thus far the mere male has been able to stave off the feminine onslaught into the business world.

But in the United States, the number of lady bankers is sufficiently great to warrant an association of their own—the Association of Bank Women. This group will convene about the middle of October, just before the convention of the American Bankers' Association.

Officers held by members of the fair sex included in the association's roster run the entire gamut of the banking profession from president down. Included are presidents, vice-presidents, cashiers, trust officers, statisticians, directors, branch managers, staff managers of departments such as exchange, collection, publicity, savings.

Taking More Medicine

The growing consumption of medicine in England is worrying Sir Kingsley Wood, minister of health. "We are rapidly becoming a nation of medicine drinkers," he said in a speech to the House of Commons. The cost of medicine per head in England, he said, is double that in Scotland.



May Increase Duty

Britain Likely To Get Revenue From Foreign-Made Flags

Foreign-made flags, pictures of the King and other articles suitable for the coronation may be subjected to higher import duties.

Increases are being considered on articles for use in or commemorating the coronation, or as souvenirs which have a representation of the King or any member of the royal family, any royal emblem, or bear a flag of any country in the British Empire, or are in any way suitable for the coronation.

An improvement in the gear wheels of dial telephones now permits them to live through 5,000,000 operations instead of 100,000 as formerly.

Producing New Paper

Russian Scientists Claim It Will Last 1,000 Years

A new brand of paper—so strong that it will "last 1,000 years"—has been invented by scientists at the Leningrad laboratory of preservation and restoration of documents. It is claimed.

The formula for the paper was discovered as a result of studying Egyptian and other ancient kinds of paper.

According to the director of the laboratory, Professor Tikhonov, production of the new paper will cost no more than the manufacture of ordinary paper.

The groundhog and the woodchuck are the same animal, the former name being given to the animal in the eastern states.

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The Champion Chronicle

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Thursday, September 24, 1936

Arnold Bond is making favorable progress following an operation for appendicitis in the local hospital last week.

Notice to Farmers

Starting October 1st, all elevators will close at 6 p. m. except Wednesdays when they will close at 1 o'clock noon.

In accordance with the Village By-Laws

For Sale

Cream enamel Dresser, vanity style. Cream enamel Bed with mattress and spring. Brown Simmons Bed, large size with spring and mattress. Solid oak Dresser, without finish, best level English glass mirror. Solid oak library Table. Large solid oak Chair. Wicker Rocker. This furniture is all in good condition, cheap for cash. Phone 11 or inquire of Mrs. J. S. Collins.

Frank Caldwell and Max returned Monday from Namska and Strathmore where they have been combining for the past month. Mr. Caldwell contracted to harvest 1200 acres but due to 300 acres being green and the weather uncertain he returned to his home.

Notice

Group No. 1 of the Champion Ladies Aid will hold a bake sale at McIntyre and Co. store on Saturday afternoon and evening, September 25th.

For Sale

Bratty copper tub washer as good as new, cover going away. May be purchased for price owing. A real bargain, and very easy terms may be arranged. Reply to Chronicle office.

Lost

Chet and maver, weighing about 1200 pounds, looks as if in fact. White face and hind legs. Please notify C. Iverson or Chronicle office, p. 38.

Local & General

Id Dittio said it froze Tuesday night.

A. W. Jopling was a business visitor in Lethbridge Saturday.

Mrs. Cowell of Lethbridge was a Champion visitor last week.

J. W. McMartin, Bank Inspector has been here for two or three days.

Born—On Friday, September 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ruggles, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Kramer, on Monday, September 21st, a daughter.

Look! MacIntosh Red apples, Fancy Household pack, \$1.75 a case at Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bonnier and family were Lethbridge visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Hummel entertained a few ladies Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her mother.

Miss Sandgate of Granum visited with Mrs. D. D. Farmer over the week end.

Lee Graves, George Matlock and Halley Smith are visiting in the Peace River country.

Robert A. McCullough and Wilford Warren returned to Varsity for their second year.

Mr. and Mrs. Little of Stately are visiting their daughter, Mrs. B. Hummel for a few days.

Special, "While They Last," 50 lb sacks coarse Salt for 60c each at Campbell's.

The Catholic Women's League will hold their annual chicken supper on Saturday, October 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Watts and Patricia, accompanied by Mrs. F. Caldwell, were Namska visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Stage of Edmonton, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. T. Gill, returned to her home this week.

Miss Florence Woodhull, who has been spending a few days with her mother, returned to Lethbridge Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Depe spent the week end in Lethbridge guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Luchin.

G. K. McLean, accompanied by Mrs. Bulman, Mrs. W. A. McIntyre and F. Bouzay, returned to Calgary last week.

Frank Krammer and Jack Kulpas were in Lethbridge last week where they wrote on their mechanic examinations.

Extra Special Tulip Bulbs local grown. The famous "Al. Miller" kind, plant. Now for spring flowers, only 25c doz. at Campbell's.

Pauline and Leroy Fisher who have been confined to their home with scarlet fever, are progressing very favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Siegel and family spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murphy of Travers.

Mr. and Mrs. McCullough and Miss Marjorie left on Monday by car for Edmonton where the latter will enter University for a course in Household Economics.

The rush for the winter supply of coal commenced this week and all mines are running at full force. A coal miner recently installed at one of the mines is proving highly successful and the coal mined by this method is very popular.

Mrs. Eaton is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Patterson.

Leon Harburt and family are spending a few days in the Champion district prior to their departure for their home in San Diego.

Miss Marjorie McCullough visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moffatt of Lethbridge for a few days last week prior to her departure for University.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell of Ponoka, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Racher, left for their home Monday. Mrs. Campbell was formerly Miss Doris Racher.

Knock! Knock! Who's there? Will. Will who? Will Rogers in "Sword and Board" the Band" coming Saturday, Sept. 26th. Three shows, special matinee at 2:30 p.m. and regular shows at 7 and 9 p.m.

Mrs. Walter Diemert of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Hugh Frame of Kimberley, B.C. returned to Champion on Saturday where they will visit friends and relatives.

A service was held in the music room of the public school on Sunday evening by Mr. Edith of the Baptist Mission. A fair number turned out to hear his message and song service.

THE CROP TESTING PLAN

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